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HYDRAULICALLY CONTROLLED ENGAGEMENT  
OF CLUTCHES USED IN MARINE TRANSMISSIONS  
Group Art Unit : 3681  
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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.

In response to the official action mailed February 16, 2007, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Drawings:**

Please amend FIGS. 1 - 5 of the drawings, presently on file, as indicated in red ink on the Annotated Drawings accompanying the attached Submission. The Applicant respectfully requests approval of all of the requested drawing amendment(s) at this time. **Also please enter the enclosed new Replacement Sheets of drawing(s), accompanying this Submission, which incorporate all of the requested drawing amendments.**

**In the Abstract:**

Please cancel the Abstract of the Disclosure, presently on file, and enter into the record of this application the new Abstract of the Disclosure as follows.